

**OUR MISSION:** Empowering Voters. Defending Democracy. LWV is an organization fully committed to diversity, equity, and inclusion in principle and in practice.

# VOTE! Empower your voice in the CA Primary, June 7, 2022! VOTE!

### Get registered! Always plan ahead to... VOTE EARLY!

- Age 16 or 17? Pre-Register: <u>High School and Youth Initiatives: California Secretary of State</u> (includes a video and printable poster to display)
- **First-time voter?** Register here: <u>https://registertovote.ca.gov/</u> (in multiple languages)
- Changed: Name, Address, or Party? You must re-register: <u>https://registertovote.ca.gov/</u>
- Active voter? Be sure! Check your status: <u>https://www.cocovote.us/registration-and-voting-options/my-voting-information/#VoterLookupandSampleBallotSearch</u>

CA Universal Vote by Mail for the June 7<sup>th</sup> 2022 Primary (pending) <u>https://www.lwv.org/newsroom/news-</u> clips/kged-after-historic-election-california-legislators-consider-keeping-vo

- County mails your ballot with an "I Voted" sticker included (Wear it after you vote!)
- If not received, call 925-335-7800 or email <u>ballot@vote.cccounty.us</u>
- How to Return Your CA Vote by Mail Ballot, No Stamp Needed, watch: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DjHCEBZTtCk&feature=youtu.be</u>
- Track My Ballot? Sign up ASAP at election time: <u>https://california.ballottrax.net/voter/</u>

#### Tools to get informed at election time

- Find your polling site: Text VOTE to GOVOTE (468-683), #VoteCalifornia
- E-Z Voter Guide: <u>easyvoterguide.org</u> <u>unbiased</u>, easy voter information about ballot measures, polling place locations, and Secure Drop Box locations; (in 5 languages)
- Voter's Edge: <u>https://votersedge.org/en/ca</u> easy, unbiased information about candidates, propositions, and who finances them candidates and propositions (also in Spanish)
- Political Party Statements of Purpose: <u>Political Party Statements of Purpose: California Secretary of</u> <u>State</u> (lists the 6 qualified parties)

#### **VOTING EARLY** means your mail in ballot will be counted sooner!

- Made a mistake marking your mail-in ballot? Re-mark the ballot in a way that makes your intent clear. For physically damaged or lost ballots, call 925-335-7800 or email <u>ballot@vote.cccounty.us.</u>
- Need to vote in person? Safe, early voting sites and polling stations will be available

## **Promote the VOTE!** Consider being an Election Volunteer or organize a school Mock Election!

- 1. **Be a poll worker**, learn and earn: <u>https://www.cocoteam.us/PollWorkerReview.aspx</u>
  - 2. Age 16 or 17? Want to earn a stipend? <u>https://www.cocoteam.us/ElectionStudentWorkerApplication.aspx</u>
  - 3. Organize a Mock Election! <u>California Student Mock Election: California Secretary of State</u>

#### CA Secretary of State video about Election Security and LWVDV contact info

Election Security in CA, watch: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GmiwRD7OBRU</u>